

Applic. No. 09/621,905
Petition to Revive under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)
dated October 16, 2003

Applicants state that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137 was unintentional.

Applicants request that the application be reinstated under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). The petition fee in the amount of \$1,330.00 in accordance with Section 1.17(m) is enclosed herewith.

Also enclosed is a certified English translation and the fee required for the late filing of the English translation as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(k).

Please note that a *Preliminary Amendment* was filed on April 26, 2001, and the undersigned received the returned postcard confirming receipt in the PTO on April 26, 2001. The amendment was based on the English translation submitted concurrently herewith. Upon granting the instant petition, entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Please charge any other fees which might be due with respect to Sections 1.16 and 1.17 to the Deposit Account No. 12-1099 of Lerner and Greenberg, P.A..

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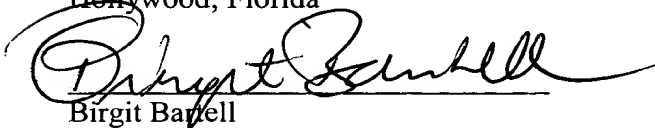
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CERTIFICATION

I, the below named translator, hereby declare that: my name and post office address are as stated below; that I am knowledgeable in the English and German languages, and that I believe that the attached text is a true and complete translation of the application filed in German on July 24, 2000.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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